

1995



SEASON

A TOAST TO
The Quirins



The work accomplished in The Ivoryton Playhouse by the Foundation and described in the "History of the Playhouse" was achieved under the supervision of Peg and Ed Quirin. Simply stated, without their commitment to this building and their willingness to make great sacrifices to further their dream of a "Theatre for all Seasons" you would not be here today.

Their devotion to The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation, to the building and to each other has led this organization through difficult times to a point where a stable future can be seen. The Board of Trustees expresses its heartfelt gratitude, affection and appreciation to Peg and Ed for years of service - past, present and future.

*Coming to the
Ivoryton Playhouse*

JERRY HARDIN

(Seen on Star Trek: The Next Generation)

as

MARK TWAIN

On Man & His World



Saturday, September 16
8:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 17
2:00 p.m.

SAVE THE DATES!



A Benefit for The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation



— at the —
Ivoryton Playhouse

1995 SEASON

11 WEEKS OF SHEER PLEASURE ... SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

**OTHER PEOPLE'S
MONEY**

by Jerry Sterner

Very Now – this quirky 90's laugh-riot
New values, old values, which ones win!

JUNE 20 - JULY 1

**PRIVATE
LIVES**

by Noel Coward

Pure comic delight – the "master" at his
classiest, wittiest, most sophisticated!

JULY 4 - JULY 15

OUR TOWN

the beloved classic by Thornton Wilder

Real life, only more so – everybody's favorite small-town story.
Laugh, cry, reminisce – but whatever you do, don't miss it!

JULY 18 - AUGUST 5

*Special
3-week run*

*By popular
demand*

**SHE LOVES
ME**

Book: Joe Masteroff

Score: Jerry Boch and Sheldon Harnick

Old-world Musical Valentine – heart-warming
tunes from the "Fiddler on the Roof" team.

AUG. 8 - AUG. 19

**DANCING AT
LUGHNASA**

by Brian Friel

It's Irish, and it's beautiful – lyric new play,
recent toast of Dublin and Broadway!

AUG. 22 - SEPT. 3

THE RIVER REP
at the
IVORYTON PLAYHOUSE

presents

**Owen
Thompson**

**Jen
Wolfe**

**Evan
Thompson**

**Joan
Shepard**

**Wiley
Moore**

in

OTHER PEOPLE'S MONEY

by

JERRY STERNER

Directed by

JANE STANTON

Set Design
Ron Gasparinetti

Lighting Design
David O'Connor

Costumes by
Jenny Cleaver

Sound Design by
Richard Loyd

Production Stage Manager
Abigail Koreto*

Welcome to the Ninth Season of THE RIVER REP

THE RIVER REP
is a professional company
dedicated to bringing you the best in theatre

Producing Partners

Jane Stanton
Artistic Director

Joan Shepard
Managing Director

James W. Kelley

Evan Thompson

**The River Rep dedicates its 9th Season to
JIM WILSON**

**beloved long-time friend
and partner 1987 - 1994**

his spirit stays with us

DON'T MISS THE REST OF OUR EXCITING SEASON

★ **PRIVATE LIVES**

July 4 - July 15

*Pure comic delight – the “master” at his classiest,
wittiest, most sophisticated!*

★ **OUR TOWN**

July 18 - August 5

*Real life, only more so – everybody’s favorite small town story
Laugh, cry, reminisce – but whatever you do, don’t miss it!*

★ **SHE LOVES ME**

August 8 - August 19

*Old World Musical Valentine – heart-warming tunes from the
“Fiddler On The Roof” team.*

★ **DANCING AT LUGHNASA**

August 22 - September 3

*It’s Irish, and it’s beautiful – lyric new play,
recent toast of Dublin and Broadway!*

OTHER PEOPLE'S MONEY

CAST

(in order of appearance)

William Coles Wiley Moore*
Andrew Jorgenson Evan Thompson*
Bea Sullivan Joan Shepard*
Lawrence Garfinkle Owen Thompson*
Kate Sullivan Jen Wolfe*

**Member of Actor's Equity Association*

TIME

The present

PLACE

Offices of New England Wire and Cable Company —
Rhode Island

Office of Lawrence Garfinkle — New York City

There will be one fifteen-minute intermission between Act I and Act II

OTHER PEOPLE'S MONEY was originally presented
by the American Stage Company
Teaneck, New Jersey

New York Production originated
by The Hartford Stage Company

The use of cameras and/or recording devices is strictly prohibited.

The River Rep is a division of Fanfare Theatre ensemble, Inc.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Production Manager	Arthur A. Pignataro
Press Representative	Wilma Ashe
Technical Director	Ron Gasparinetti
Master Electrician	David Goldsmith
Assistant to the Director	Julia Kiley
Assistant Stage Manager	Carrie Capizzano
Lightboard Operator	David Krodel
South Technician	Rachael Buck
Set Builders and Painters	Wayne Buvoltz, Dave Krodel Greg Tito, Shawn Wanamaker
Stage Crew	Carrie Capizzano, Kevin O'Connor
Electrics Crew	Dave Krodel, Kevin O'Connor, Russ Turner
Special Production Assistants	Rick Hoskins and students from Killingly High School, Judy Shea
Photography by	Harold Shapiro
Box Office Manager	Heather Sterling
House Manager	Laura Cutler
Box Office Staff	Felicity Amos, Diane Johnson Theo LeCompte, Christian Orobello
Assistant House Manager	Diane Johnson
Children's Show House Manager	Theo LeCompte
Ushers	Friends of The River Rep
Concessions	The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation, Ken's Coffeehouse (51 Main St., Essex) Sugarplum's (235 Main St., Old Saybrook)

The River Rep would like to thank the following individuals, establishments and organizations who continue to make our Summer Season possible: Aggie's Again, The Antique Brush Factory, Barry Asch, Linda Crown, Lorraine Donovan, Dee and Bill Grover, Mr. Hines and the custodial crew of John Winthrop Jr. High School, Rick Hoskins and his crew from Killingly High School, The Ivoryton Library, The Ivoryton Store, Roger LeCompte and Helen Smits, Chuck and Sue Longton, Manittuck Spring Water Co., Waterford, CT, Nancy Schieferdecker, Joseph Shea, Molly Shea, SNET, Summit St. Liquors, Pauline and Bill Veillette, Bill and Agnes Waterman, Geoff and Rosalie Zonder - and the many other businesses and individuals without whom it would be impossible for us to be here.

Come and Meet "The Duettes"

*Jenn Thompson and Julia Kiley will delight you
with an evening of Song and Sass*

Monday, June 26 at 7:00 p.m.

Reserve early

767-8348

Call our Box Office

The River Rep's Own Youth Theatre

presents

LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD

A Family Musical by

JANE STANTON

Three Performances only

MONDAY, July 31st at 7:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, August 5th at 11:00 a.m.
and 1:00 p.m.

Reserve your tickets now!

Call (203) 767-8348



We go beyond the call.



THE RIVER REP

is a proud contributor to

Broadway Cares - Equity Fights AIDS

Please join us in supporting this organization by dropping a donation in the basket in the lobby. Take a Red Ribbon to wear - and show that you care.

Thank You!

**IVORYTON PLAYHOUSE FOUNDATION, INC.
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May 8, 1995

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at the
Ivoryton Playhouse

THEATRE FOR CHILDREN
MAIN STREET, IVORYTON

All Performances at 11:00 a.m.

** EXCEPT AS NOTED BELOW **

SUMMER OF 1995

FRIDAY, June 23 – “Pinocchio”
(Performed by The Fanfare Theatre Ensemble)

FRIDAY, June 30 – “Reach For The Stars, Kid”
(Performed by Madhatters Childrens’ Theatre)

FRIDAY, July 7 – “Christmas In July”
(Performed by The Fanfare Theatre Ensemble)

FRIDAY, July 14 – Mr. A’s Amazing A’s Plays
(Performed by Alliance Theatre Company)

FRIDAY, July 21 – “Just For The Fun Of It”
(Performed by Keith Johnson)

FRIDAY, July 28 – “Just So” and Other Stories
(Performed by Jim West)

MONDAY, July 31 – “Little Red Riding Hood”
Special Performance at 7:00 p.m.
(Performed by River Rep’s Own Youth Theatre)

FRIDAY, August 4 – “Little Red Riding Hood”
11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.
(Performed by River Rep’s Own Youth Theatre)

FRIDAY, August 11 – “The Adventures of Penny Panda”
(Performed by The Fanfare Theatre Ensemble)

FRIDAY, August 18 – “Aladdin”
(Performed by The Penny Bridge Players)

FRIDAY, August 25 – “North to South: A Musical Trip to Disneyworld”
(Performed by Rainbow Music)

*All
Seats
\$6*

BOX OFFICE OPEN NOW

**BOX
767-8348
OFFICE**

REHABILITATION

The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation Board of Trustees are extremely grateful for the gifts received from the following, making possible the continued rehabilitation of the Playhouse facilities.

The Episcopal Camp and Conference Center gift in the name of Lucy Weed, Secretary of The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation, to be applied to the construction of a Control Booth. We would also like to thank **Ms. Weed** for her personal monetary donation for this project.

Tim Barry, John Joseph, Trip Wyeth and others for the gift of their time in constructing the Control Booth.

The Essex Lions' Club most generous donation for the construction of the handicap ramp.

Tilcon's gift of the performance of all the required paving work, including handicap and other parking, at the rear of the building.

Connecticut Historical Commission matching grant for additional rehabilitation work.

Members and supporters gifts towards rehabilitation.

NOTICE

Pursuant to an agreement with the State of Connecticut Historical Commission consummated as a result of a grant, the Playhouse will be open to the public for viewing of it's exterior and interior between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. of a day set by appointment or specifically June 1, 1995, September 11, 1995, November 27, 1995, March 14, 1996 and April 25, 1996.

THE 1995 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION THE IVORYTON PLAYHOUSE FOUNDATION

I would like to become a member of the Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation in the category checked:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual (\$25 or more) | <input type="checkbox"/> Supporters (\$250 or more) |
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Members dues are applied to the Operations Fund
of the Playhouse Foundation.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Print name as you would like it to appear

If you work for an organization that has a matching gift program, your contribution can be matched. Simply forward the appropriate form, available through your organization, along with your contribution to the Playhouse.

Please make checks payable to the Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Box 458, Ivoryton, CT 06442

THEATRE SEATS

Rehabilitation plans for the Playhouse include the installation of new theatre seats for your comfort.

The balcony has been, in the spring of 1992, renovated by raising the levels of seats for better sighting, by closing one of the original stairs, and by installing 52 new seats. There remains the need to install 54 additional new seats in the balcony plus 200 seats in the orchestra section.

A contribution of \$500 will purchase one seat, including the name of the donor on an arm of the seat.



Pick up a flier in the lobby and order your chair today.

UPCOMING EVENTS – 1995

With the rehabilitation of the Playhouse well underway,
the Playhouse Foundation proudly announces
the following upcoming events:

June 20 - July 1	"Other People's Money"	The River Rep
July 4 - July 15	"Private Lives"	The River Rep
July 18 - Aug. 5	"Our Town"	The River Rep
Aug. 8 - Aug. 19	"She Loves Me"	The River Rep
Aug. 22 - Sept. 3	"Dancing at Lughnasa"	The River Rep
Every Friday from June 23 - Aug. 25	Theatre for Children	Various performers and companies
Sept. 16 - Sept. 17	"Mark Twain on Man and His World"	Jerry Hardin
Oct. 6 - Oct. 7	"Our Town"	Lyme/Old Lyme High School
Oct. 19 - Oct. 21	"The Victorian Halloween Show"	The American Magic- Lantern Theater
Oct. 28	Annual Halloween Dance	Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation
Nov. 17	Fall Production	Madhatters Theater Company
Dec. 7 - Dec. 10	Family Christmas Show	Alice People Players
Dec. 14 - Dec. 16	"The Victorian Christmas Show"	The American Magic- Lantern Theater

Watch for notices about our 1996 shows which will include more Magic-Lantern Theater productions and shows by the Alice People Players, Madhatters Theater Company, and independent producers for the Foundation. 1996 will also see the tenth year for The River Rep and a special Christmas production of "Annie". And don't forget the annual dance/auction held every April.

No matter what season or month, there is always something happening at the Playhouse! Call 767-7318 for additional information and for updates on new events added to the calendar.

RENTAL INFORMATION

The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation is pleased to announce that our on-going extensive rehabilitation effort has resulted in the Playhouse being available for rental year-round on either a daily or longer basis. Join the long list of famous performers who have graced our stage. Fully heated and air-conditioned, the 300 plus seat Playhouse blends the atmosphere of a National Register of Historic Places building with the amenities you need for your event. The playhouse is the perfect place for shows, recitals, concerts, and other performances.

The Playhouse also accommodates wedding receptions, fund raising events, professional organization dinners and meetings, and dances. Please contact the Foundation office for more information at 767-7318.